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## REMARKS

The Examiner is thanked for his thorough review of the present patent application and for allowing Claims 17-20. The Examiner's rejection of Claims 1, 8 and 9 under the judicially created doctrine of double patenting is overcome by the submission of the enclosed Terminal Disclaimer. As the rejection of Claims 1, 8 and 9 is overcome, the objection directed to dependent Claims 2-7 and 10-16 should be withdrawn.

Applicants believe that this application is now in a condition for allowance, and passage to issue is therefore respectfully solicited. If the further prosecution can be facilitated through a telephone conference between the Examiner and the undersigned, the Examiner is respectfully requested to telephone the undersigned at the Examiner's convenience.

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